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## Fortnightly First To Observe The George Washington Bi-centennial

The women of the Fortnightly Club will be the first in Northfield to celebrate George Washington's bicentennial. There will be others to follow later in the year.

Friday afternoon January 22nd in the Town Hall will assemble in festive array George and Martha Washington, and many of Martha's closest friends through the years. Her famous children and grandchildren will be present.

The illustrious mother of George, Mary Ball Washington, in all her dignity will be there. Many ladies, famous in revolutionary times, will be seen for the first time in Northfield. The little tory to Susan Bondinoth, who threw the tea out of the window will lend her presence for the occasion.

Who is Who? is the great question which only the occasion will disclose. Members of the club will endeavor to provide and to bring the living room of Mt. Vernon into the Town Hall for everyone's delight.

The music committee through the chairman, Mrs. A. M. Solandt is planning some interesting surprises. The hostesses Mrs. Kidder, Mrs. Tyler, Mrs. Millard, Miss Braley will be there to reveal some of the true southern hospitality. A great afternoon is being anticipated.

## The Fortnightly To Learn About Rugs

Mr. Nerses Piligian of Springfield, an expert on oriental rugs, will speak on "Oriental Rugs and Customs of the East" at the town hall this Friday afternoon to the regular scheduled meeting of the Fortnightly Club at which time there will also be quite an exhibition of both old and new Oriental rugs. Mrs. C. M. Steadler is Chairman of this meeting. Because of much general interest in the address and the exhibition the meeting will be an open one and any who are interested are cordially invited to attend.

## County Farm Bureau Has Annual Meeting

L. O. Clapp Elected Director

Roger E. Peck of Shelburne was re-elected president of the Franklin County Farm Bureau at the society's annual meeting at the Mansion house last Wednesday, December 30th. About 45 attended the business session, which saw the re-election of all officers, and directors of the bureau with one exception, Kenneth Barnard of Shelburne being chosen second vice-president.

Luncheon followed the meeting and then Prof. F. C. Sears of Massachusetts State college spoke on his recent trip and work in Labrador. Robert Trask, vice-president of the Massachusetts Farm Bureau, was a guest at the meeting and spoke on the work of the state organization, particularly of its purchasing department, which, he said, had already been a means of saving money for farmers availing themselves of it, and of the bureau's insurance department, which, he added, has resulted in revenue for the bureau and considerable premium savings for bureau members.

Officers and directors elected today were: President, Roger E. Peck of Shelburne; vice-president, J. H. Antes of Conway; second vice-president, Kenneth Barnard of Shelburne; secretary, Fred B. Dole of Shelburne; treasurer, F. W. Wells of Greenfield; directors, Raymond Howes of Ashfield, Walter Grove of Buckland, Preston G. Warfield of Buckland, W. J. Pierson of Charlemont, W. T. Graves of Conway, Byron Call of Colrain, Jonathan P. Ashley of Deerfield, Charles H. Holmes of Erving, Fred W. Doane of Greenfield, Lewis C. Munn of Gill, B. L. White of Hawley, F. B. Burrington of Heath, Charles Beaman of Leverett, Herman W. Severance of Leyden, E. L. Bartlett of Montague, B. W. Cogswell of New Salem, L. O. Clapp of Northfield, Marcus Ward of Orange, R. M. Gould of Shelburne, Minor Haskell of Shutesbury, Kenneth Williams of Sunderland and F. C. Sanderson of Whately.

Brief reports were given by the various officers and committees, including the treasurer, who reported a balance of \$604.27 in the treasury. The bureau has a membership of more than 140. Fred B. Dole of Shelburne, member of the Springfield milk arbitration board, outlined steps already taken to insure better prices for the producers in this section, while Herman W. Severance of Leyden, member of the Franklin County Dairymen's association bargaining committee, announced the increase of a cent which will be effective Monday, and dealt briefly with the dairy outlook for the coming year.

## George Washington Stamps Now On Sale At P. O.

The George Washington bicentennial stamps and stamped envelopes were placed on sale in the Post Office of Northfield on Saturday last and the first shipment has received a heavy sale. All who have purchased them are delighted with their appearance and a collection of the various denominations show "the father of our country" in many reproductions of painting and sculpture.

## Northfield's Coming Generation; The High School Senior Class



First Row: — Frank Huber, Kenneth Leach, Myron Johnson, Raymond Kervian, Clayton Glazier, Alfred Labelle, Glenn Billings. Second Row: — Esther Schyrb, Amelia Urgiewicz, Dorothy Quinlan, Alcia Repeta, Eunice Woodbury, Elsie Tenney, Anna Szcawza, Esther Havercroft, Evelyn Havercroft. Standing: — Mary Podlenski, Helen Urgiewicz, Grace Randall, Mary Breinig, Monica Szeszowski, Edna Bistrek, Helen Szeszowski.

## More County Road Needs Are Made Known

Improvement Considered For  
West Northfield Road

The County Commissioners held another conference with the town officials of Franklin County last week Wednesday at the Court House in Greenfield. While no definite requests were made for county funds for chapter 90 work, pending the coming annual town-meetings, the selectmen described the conditions of some of the highways in their communities upon which work could be done advantageously.

Warwick, Northfield, New Salem, Wendell and Shelburne have work in prospect.

Northfield expressed hopes the county would allow \$2,000 for work on the road in West Northfield leading from Belding's corner to Mt. Hermon. It was estimated the entire cost would be \$8,000.

Warwick presented a request for appropriations for the continuance of work on the Northfield road started last summer and also explained two bridges in the town needed attention.

The matter of selecting principal roads of the county for larger appropriations to allow more work in one year, and no appropriations for a number of years afterward was brought before the selectmen for discussion as to whether this method would be more satisfactory than the old method of allowing each town \$1,000 annually. There was little discussion of the matter, but those who spoke favored the old method.

## Herbert Parsons To Resign Probation Job

Our good Northfield friend, the Hon. Herbert C. Parsons, State commissioner of probation, will not wait to be retired officially when he reaches the age of 70, January 15, but will offer his resignation to the Board of Probation at its next meeting. This was announced in a bulletin issued last Saturday from his office at 20 Somerset street, Boston.

Although the board wished to retain Commissioner Parsons in office, Attorney-General Joseph E. Warner ruled that under the law he should be retired when he reaches the age of 70.

## Grange To Exhibit Movie Without Charge

The Northfield Grange will hold its next regular meeting Tuesday, January 12.

At 8.30 following a business meeting, Mr. Harlon representing the Quaker Oat Company, will be present to entertain us by showing moving pictures. These pictures are taken from some of the larger dairy herds throughout the country, including that of Mr. C. A. Parker of this town. These pictures were to have been shown Dec. 8th, but owing to a misunderstanding the representative failed to appear. As a result he is bringing an extra reel this time and will furnish a full-evening's entertainment entirely free of charge. The public is cordially invited.

## Former Summer Resident Dies In New York

The information received here last week of the death of Mrs. A. G. Ropes a former summer resident will be heard with deep regret by her many friends. She formerly owned and occupied the large house off Birnam Road called "Ropes cottage" now in the possession of Mrs. Pearl Backus of Forest Hills, N. Y. Mrs. Ropes was a resident of Morristown, N. J. A devoted member of the Baptist Church and much interested in all religious work. For some time she had been living in New York where she died.

## Breeders Hold Annual Meeting

A. H. Bolton Chosen V. P.

At the 12th annual meeting of the Franklin-Hampshire Holstein-Friesian Association held in Greenfield Friday January first Mr. E. P. West of Hadley was chosen President. Other officers who were also re-elected were: Vice President for Hampshire county, J. W. Parsons of Northampton; for Franklin county, A. H. Bolton of East Northfield; secretary-treasurer, J. G. Cook of Hadley, member of executive committee, T. E. Elder, dean of Mount Hermon school. These five comprise the executive committee of the association.

Reports of officers were read and accepted, that of Treasurer J. G. Cook showing a balance on hand of \$114.34. There were four speakers. Prof. J. H. Frandsen, head of the dairy department at Massachusetts State college, described some of the observations he made in Denmark last summer when he investigated dairy conditions and marketing methods in that country.

Dr. J. B. Lindsey, also of the State college, spoke briefly of his studies of the cost of milk production at the college experiment station. M. C. Peabody, assistant treasurer of the Federal Land bank at Springfield and president of the New England Holstein club, and Allen S. Crissey, New England field agent for the National Holstein association were the other speakers.

Afternoon speakers were Harold Adams of Springfield, field agent for the western district of the New England Milk Producers' association, and Dr. H. P. Young of the university extension service at the University of Vermont, who has had much to do with organization of the New England dairies, inc. Both speakers confined their remarks largely to milk marketing problems.

## Alumni "Check-Up" Under Way For New Paper

A "1932 check-up" on the alumni of the Northfield High school is now under way, it was learned recently. The purpose of the check-up is to learn the whereabouts and present occupation of every graduate of the school, of which there are about 250.

Some of the information will be used later, it is learned, in the preparation of an alumni publication, plans for which are now being made, following instructions given a committee at the June 1931 meeting of the alumni association.

Seth H. Field, Boston University student, and prominent in the alumni association, who is head of the committee, prepared and sent out, while at his home here for Christmas vacation, a large number of postal card questionnaires. Between now and Easter the committee expects to compile a great deal of interesting information from the return of these cards, and to get together all the necessary "copy" for the initial issue of an alumni paper.

The first issue will be out shortly after Easter, according to present plans, and a copy of it will be mailed to every graduate of the High School, and it is possible the High School will have a part in the new paper. Aaron Newton and Polly Parker are the other members of the committee.

## Noted Pianist Coming To Greenfield

Music lovers of Northfield will be interested to note that the noted Pianist Composer Percy Granger will give a recital on the evening of Tuesday, January 12, at 8 o'clock in the High School Auditorium. The program is to be one of great beauty—and will be repeated shortly after January 12 at Carnegie Hall, New York City.

## Mass. Granges Will Fight Annual Sessions Of Legislature

A fight for biennial sessions of the Massachusetts Legislature has just been started, as the Grange of the state is moving for a referendum seeking to rid the state of the expense and burden of annual sessions of its law-makers. At a largely attended Grange convention a vote on the subject resulted in 635 to 19 in favor of starting the initiative proposal at once, and all the energies of the 50,000 Grange membership in the Bay State will be enlisted toward that end. As a first step towards the undertaking the Grange has challenged the Governor of the Commonwealth to lend his support to the change, and already lots of interest has been created in the vote of the Grange.

Only five states remain which have annual sessions of the legislature and it is but a few years ago that Massachusetts went on to the biennial election plan for state officers and members of the legislature. The latter body in the Bay State comprises 280 members in both houses and holds an annual session that usually continues about six months out of the twelve with considerable cost to the taxpayers.

## Admits Auto Accident Here And Fleeing

Austin Roby, 20 years of age, who lived at East Deerfield was arrested in Greenfield last Saturday by Sergeant J. J. Burns following a report of a car stolen from the LaMontagne Motor company of Northampton. He appeared in District Court Monday charged with leaving the scene of an accident without making himself known. Roby pleaded guilty and he was held in bail of \$1000 pending disposition of his case the 14th.

Roby is alleged to have been involved in collision with a car at Northfield November 27, on Pauchang hill on the Hinsdale road at which time he told the driver of the other car he would go to a Northfield garage for a wrecker. He disappeared and did not return.

Constable Harry Haskell was in court at the hearing.

Sergeant Burns who made the arrest Saturday when Roby parked the roadster taken from the Northampton garage, told the court Roby had also admitted the theft of the Northampton car New Year's eve and of another stolen the same day from Dalton, registered to Helen G. Sullivan of Cheshire. Disposition was continued at the request of Sergeant Burns that the police might extend their investigations to New York state, where it is believed Roby may have stolen other cars during the past year.

## "The Snow Queen" Delighted Youngsters

Some forty of Northfield's young people journeyed to Greenfield to witness "The Snow Queen" in the High School auditorium on New Year's day Friday, January first.

The play was Hans Cristian Andersen's "The Snow Queen" one of the series of six being given this season under the auspices of the drama department of the Greenfield Woman's club.

At the close of the performance the children in the audience were given an opportunity to meet the players and nearly all availed themselves of the invitation, filing across the stage and shaking hands with the actors and actresses who had taken the parts of the grandmother who could tell stories so effectively; of little Kay, who wandered away under a strange influence to the distant palace of the snow queen, and of Gerda, his playmate, who searched for him far and near, and armed with a power against which even fire goblins and robbers were helpless, found him at last and brought him home to safety and the scenes they knew best.

The children seemed especially delighted with the talking crows and flowers and the huge frog whose advice to little Gerda rumbled ominously from the depths of his green throat. Applause was freely given, particularly for the wild scene in the robbers' cave and the beauty of the snow queen's palace in the final act.

Announcement was made of the fourth play in the present series, "Little Women" to be performed at the high school auditorium the afternoon of February 5.

## Northfield Club To Meet

The Franklin County Northfield Club will meet at the Hotel Weldon in Greenfield on Saturday January 9th. The business session will begin at eleven o'clock with luncheon served at one o'clock. Miss Myra B. Wilson, Principal of Northfield Seminary and Miss Fanny C. Hatch of the Alumni Association will be the speakers. A large attendance is expected. Notices of the meeting were mailed last week by Adaline M. Clark of Sunderland.

## Legion Dance Success

The dance of the American Legion in the Town Hall on New Year's eve attracted a large number of people and all present enjoyed themselves. The dance netted a goodly sum for the Treasury.

## Dairymen's Annual Meeting C. A. Parker Chosen On The Executive Committee

The annual meeting of the Franklin County Dairymen's Association was held on Thursday, December 31st in Greenfield, with President F. B. Dole of Shelburne presiding. The reports of the secretary and treasurer were presented and Mr. Dole also presented his report. At the business session Mr. Dole was re-elected president, and other officers were chosen as follows: Vice-president, Edward Graves of Conway; secretary, George Fuller of Deerfield; treasurer, John W. Haigis of Greenfield; executive committee, Charles Parker of Northfield, Horace Harmon of Shelburne and James Warner of Sunderland; delegates to the state meeting to be held in Worcester Jan. 8, George Fuller and Herman A. Severance of Leyden; alternates, Raymond Howes of Ashfield, Robert Combs of Colrain and Clifton Scott of Ashfield.

Speakers at the meeting were J. H. Putnam, Franklin County Agent, and County Agent Brown of Middlesex county. Following the speaking there was a general discussion of the dairymen's problems, particularly the milk situation. Mr. Turner spoke at length upon the legislative work of the state association and outlined plans which are under way for the coming year.

The bargaining committee, which has been working on the milk problem for the past few weeks was re-elected. The members are: Edward Koeber of Conway, H. A. Severance and Mr. Dole.

## Hunter Killed Saturday At Mt. Grace Warwick

Mr. Leo Childs of 31 Sanborn avenue West Roxbury was instantly killed on Saturday by his own gun when he slipped on the icy trail through the woods. He had been hunting foxes in the Mt. Grace section in company with Don Kolka of Orange and while tramping over some ice formed by an overflowing spring he was seen to slip and the gun striking the ground sent its load of shot into his chest. Death was instantaneous.

Mr. Childs was married and was 38 years of age. Kolka ran to Warwick some two miles, and summoned Dr. George Taylor who went to the scene. Later Dr. S. J. TenBroeck of Orange, Medical Examiner was called and the body taken to Orange for shipment to his home.

## Town Offered Trust Fund For Care Of Cemetery

Miss Alice L. Priest of Brookline has offered the Town of Northfield, the sum of four thousand dollars in Government Bonds to establish a trust fund for the annual care of the cemetery in West Northfield, to be known as the Edward Dwight Priest Fund in loving memory of her brother, and the acceptance of this trust will have to be decided by the voters of the town at the annual meeting. Mr. Edward Dwight Priest had a real interest in Northfield and this particular cemetery and some time ago established a fund for its care.

## North Church Notes

This is the week of prayer and is being observed by the church. On Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Moody. On Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Blossom there will be prayer for International Goodwill and Co-operation. The Thursday evening meeting at the church with prayer for the Protection of the Home and of Youth. The last meeting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Coe on Main street, will consider prayer for the World in a Day of Depression.

Last Sunday morning, Rev. W. W. Coe preached on the Open Door from the Book of Revelation. Prof. Irving J. Lawrence of Mount Hermon rendered Gounod's Ring Out Wild Bells as a solo. Miss Shirley Towne and Miss Ella B. Gans united with the church. In the evening Miss Priscilla Porter conducted the Christian Endeavor and Rev. Henry Atkinson preached on Temptation.

Thursday was all day sewing meeting for the ladies of the church and dinner was served in the vestry.

## Unitarian Church Notes

In his summary report on last year in the parish, Rev. Mr. Conner stated that he and Mrs. Conner had made in the year 489 parish calls, 134 in September, the largest number in any one month. He had read 109 books in the year, some rather thick volumes, ethics and religion.

The Sunday's theme was fitting to the New Year, "Circles in Providence and Life."

The Subject for next Sunday is to be "Little Sins."

At the Woman's Alliance meeting entertained by Mrs. S. F. Harriman on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 7, with Mrs. Conner, leader of topic, "The Prevention of Poverty and Unemployment," there was a special speaker to the topic from Greenfield, Mr. W. S. Hutchins.

## The Position Of The W. C. T. U. On The Amendment Question

The National Woman's Christian Temperance Union has sent letters to senators and representatives discussing the recent charge of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment that the W. C. T. U. is inconsistent in opposing resubmission of the 18th amendment.

The W. C. T. U. makes it plain that it has not changed its position relative to the liquor traffic; and says the resubmission idea is not bona fide but a part of the wet propaganda against the 18th amendment to obscure the full benefits of prohibition even imperfectly observed and enforced. In place of resubmission the W. C. T. U. asks for better enforcement and observance. The organization also expresses the opinion that the resubmission drive will be accompanied by wet propaganda favoring violation of the not take prohibition out of politics, law; and says that resubmission will "The real question involved is the liquor traffic," says the W. C. T. U. "It is a vastly different thing to submit to the people a constructive measure for bettering conditions, than to submit a subversive idea fraught with selective anarchy."

The W. C. T. U. letter said that as soon as prohibition was in the constitution:

"Former liquor manufacturers started a drive to modify, cripple, or repeal the national prohibition act. The Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, supported political and legislative drives for beer. Later, this organization found a way to free itself from the brewers by accepting millionaire financing from Wall Street wets and a wealthy class of society leaders. It spend freely to embarrass the government and draw the enthusiastic support of every scoundrel and liquor law breaker in America."

"The same organizations now proposing resubmission have organized and financed the move to destroy prohibition state by state. Wherever successful this policy has been a boon to illicit liquor dealers. No better proof is needed than the fact that in Illinois the drive to repeal the state enforcement law had one of its strongest supporters in Senator Dan Serrettella, one of Scarface Al Capone's political leaders, sealer of weights and measures in William Hale Thompson's ruinous administration in Chicago."

The letter cites the claims of the drys as to the benefits of prohibition and ends with the following:

"Although the place of prohibition in politics is not under discussion, nevertheless, the subject is not far removed from our present consideration. Resubmission of the 18th amendment will not take prohibition out of politics but is likely to keep it there for many years. Prohibition was adopted fairly; it has stood all legal tests; yet its organized opponents continue their opposition. If the question is resubmitted and they lose again we have no assurance they will obey the law. To take prohibition out of politics, enforcement should be strengthened and the government should engage in a campaign of education to promote obedience."

The demand for last week's issue of The Herald was so great that the issue was entirely sold out on the day of publication and we regret that we cannot fill any orders for additional copies.

## Republican Caucus Tuesday, January 12th

At a meeting of the Republican Town Committee held last Monday evening at the Town Hall there was a good attendance with Chairman Darby presiding and it was decided to call the regular town Republican Caucus on Tuesday evening January 12th in the Town Hall building. Nominations are to be voted for the various town officers as follows:

Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Three selectmen, One Assessor, one school committee, two library Trustees, tax collector, four constables, one cemetery commissioner.

## Citizen's Caucus Thursday, January 14th

The Citizen's Committee with Mr. R. H. Wilder as chairman held their meeting Tuesday evening and have designated Thursday, Jan. 14th, as the date for the Citizen's Caucus to nominate candidates for the various town offices. The officers of the Citizen's Committee consist of: R. H. Wilder, Chairman, D. C. Donahue Secretary, and Carl L. Mason, Treasurer.

## Town Meeting Soon

Large Attendance Expected  
The town meeting is scheduled for Monday February first at the Town Hall and a large turn out of the voters is expected. The articles of the warrant will soon be completed, properly posted and published and it is hoped that all our voters will recognize the importance of attendance.

## HOWARD RILEY

Mr. Ernest Howard of East Northfield and Mrs. Grace Riley of Greenfield were married on Thursday, December 24th. The couple are house-keeping in their home on Aldrich street.



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## EDITORIAL

Our country is governed as a democracy and these principles of control prevail in the conduct of our State's affairs and in the municipalities and towns, such as ours—the town of Northfield—the people who are enrolled voters decide their fate. They select the men who shall conduct its affairs, appropriate the money to be expended and decide for what purposes it shall be spent. That is the working of a democracy and when the franchise is fully realized and participated in by all our citizens there will come a full realization of what citizenship means. Our town meeting is soon to come and there should be no indifferent citizens, no "stay at homes." Each and every voter should attend his own town meeting to cast his ballot for the candidate of his choice to act conscientiously in the affairs of the community as if it were his own personal matter—and it is. It isn't necessary to do a lot of talking but it is necessary to think and act—and to do so intelligently. It is important that the voters of Northfield recognize the responsibility of government in town, in state and national affairs if we are to do our part in maintaining our democracy handed down to us by "the fathers" and the next great duty is to see that the coming generation are instructed and trained in the same "rights" which will come to them. Will Northfield do it?

"Consideration and care for animal life on the highways might well be taken as a test of a driver's fitness to operate an automobile. Since kindness and general watchfulness are recognized characteristics of a good operator, the person who is not careful to protect dogs, cats, and other animals cannot be classed as a cautious driver." —Berkshire Gleaner.

And people who own dogs, cats and other animals should be further considerate of their animals and not allow them to roam the highway and invite danger.

While the only fire truck in Northfield, Mass., is being rebuilt following a bad smash received when it ran off the road while on its way to a fire, the firemen of Hinsdale, N. H., have volunteered to answer Northfield calls should there be any. That's what we call being neighborly.—Vermont Phoenix—January 1, 1932.

An impressive tribute to the worth of the Grange as the great farm fraternity of America was recently paid by Hon. John N. Garner of Texas the recently elected speaker of the national House of Representatives. Mr. Garner said:

"During my service in Congress I have come into frequent contact with the representatives of the National Grange, America's oldest general farm organization. It is my conviction that the Grange seeks to promote the greatest good for the greatest number, and that it stands for all that is best in the affairs of our rural life."

This is a fine tribute and testimony and recognizes the farmers as a decided factor in the control of government.

## The Poet's Corner

### THE FAIRY SNOW

I woke in fairyland  
A silent land and white,  
No clue to understand  
How it was formed last night,  
Yet every branching bush and tree  
Was fashioned into fantasy  
Of pure delight.  
They say the fairies start  
And conjure way up high  
The mists to show their art  
In crystal imagery,  
Changing the raindrops into snow  
To mantle wide the earth below  
Bewitchingly.  
Old pathways ne'er so fair,  
The thickets very lace,  
And branches once so bare,  
Entrance, for all the place  
Is naught of earth, is naught of sea,  
But dreams in all reality  
With added grace.  
Above, about and near,  
Like mentors of my day  
I wish when they appear,  
Snow-fairies long would stay  
To teach their lovers everywhere  
How they could too such beauty share  
Then hide away.

Charles A. Heath  
Stockbridge

### THE FIRST CHRISTMAS TREE

#### (A Legend)

Within a cold, dark forest,  
Long ago, on Christmas Eve,  
Midst the glare of crimson torches,  
Was a sight to make one grieve.  
For a young boy, sweet and comely,  
Knelt beneath a sturdy oak,  
While a Druid priest stood close by,  
Who would give the fatal stroke.  
For this poor lad, pale and trembling,  
Soon sacrificed would be  
With bloody rites to a pagan god,  
Beneath the great oak tree.  
But there was one, St. Boniface,

A missionary good,  
Who, this cold night was walking  
In the thick and dreary wood.  
He came just as the hammer  
Was unlifted high. And lo,  
With his cross-like staff he quickly  
Turned aside the fatal blow.  
Then to the surprised gathering  
Of tribesmen wild he told  
The story of the Christ Child,  
That never will grow old.  
He showed to them a young fir  
That pointed to the skies,  
"This tree," he said, "Knows nothing  
Of human sacrifice.  
To your chieftain's hall now take it,  
For this is the birth night,  
Of the dear and blessed Christ Child  
Who to this world brought light."

No more go to the forest  
For your secret rites of shame,  
Keep them at home with laughter,  
Love and song, in His dear Name.  
Thus did the evergreen replace  
The pagan oak, we're told,  
And become the wondrous tree of  
Christ,  
Whose beauty ne'er grows old.  
Adelaide R. Kemp  
Lyonsville, Mass.

## The People's Forum

Dear Mr. Editor,

In the warrant of our Special Town Meeting held recently there was an article relative to snow removal. Was the appropriation of \$200, for snow removal as we might be led to understand it, or was it for equipment? The above question is being asked constantly. If it was for the purpose of buying equipment, why not say so?

Philip Porter

Editor's Note:—The article in question was for snow removal and the Editor with many other voters accepted it as an honest needful plea and so voted. Its use for equipment was not so stated.

### Leaves From My Portfolio

#### OF ACTION

Men live in their deeds. They are content in the circumscription which is full of thought and action. Experience needs no camera but a mode of expression. Memory is in life. This threads the days and makes them cumulative. We should not ask for another or different day than that in which we may now act. Tomorrow shall be better than today only as we improve the present.

Action is the earliest imperative of being. That he may live man must bestir himself. The child knows verbs first, nouns or things that rest last. He sees, he hears, he does, but what, at first, he knows not. He knows the action, he is conscious of movement. Destiny is distant and unknown. Our interest in the life we live is primary.

"There is an age when the forces of our body," said Joubert, "shift their place and retire into the mind." If it be for the mind to manifest itself in works fitting to it, that may be well. But to retire a power is, in another word, to shelve it where it is not used. Better if force be translated into higher living form for offices of service.

We want men of action rather than of argument. Action gets somewhere and brings results which may be for the general good, or so, if the good heart prompts them; argument stands still, brawling with quills, and seemingly says, Touch me, if you dare, and move me not. Argument fixes a man to a spot and convinces few, if any, who have not the same point of view.

Some of us may take too much pleasure in what others do to accomplish a great deal ourselves. Perhaps we should forget our own enjoyment for a time and learn much in self-denying effort, even the joy of a deed itself. The flower must be sweet before it can give the sense of sweetness. The fruit must be luscious before others take pleasure in it. Let us know the joy of giving joy.

It has been remarked, even written and printed in a book with a moral purpose, that "we cannot have pure streams from foul springs." The stream is at once foul from the foul spring, but by flowing it purifies itself. That is verified. Men that are wicked need not remain so. They will not remain so if they take the channel of the divine law and move with a will in it.

Goethe was sure that we cannot know ourselves by reflection but by action. "Seek to do your duty, and you will quickly find out what is in you."

"All action, says Bergson, "is an encroachment on the future." It is the same as saying action is prophetic. When purposefully directed it achieves for the human kind what has not been before. The creative is the truly prophetic.

### Prizes Awarded 1931

#### Winners in Potato Club

The Union Agricultural Society, now in session at Worcester, Mass., held its annual banquet last evening, during which prizes were awarded to winners in the Massachusetts 300 Bushel Potato Club as follows: W. D. Pierson, Charlemont, first, with a yield of 481-4-10 bushels per acre. William Jurgilewicz, Gill, second, with 460 bushels per acre. Lewis Mann, also of Gill, a close third, with 453 bushels per acre.

Eighteen growers in the State by producing more than 300 bushels per acre, qualified for membership in the club and Mr. Pierson with the high yield becomes President for 1932.

This Club is under the supervision of the State Extension Service and all yields are checked by County Agents and the Extension Agronomists.

### A Snatch Of

#### Warwick's Early History

Etta M. T. Bass, who for many years has been secretary of the Warwick Old Residents' association and for 22 years a member of the school committee, has written a brief sketch of the early history of Warwick which she has gathered from various sources. This was prepared for a public affair in Warwick several weeks ago but owing to the length of the program Mrs. Bass felt it was wise not to read it at that time. Numerous requests have been made of her to incorporate it in the town records for future reference, and for the benefit of those who are interested she has willingly submitted it for publication. Warwick was originally known as Roxbury or Gardner's Canada. The resume follows:

In June 1736, Samuel Newell and the officers and soldiers in the company under command of Capt. Andrew Gardner in the Canada expedition, were authorized by the General Court to call a meeting of the proprietors. This meeting was held in Roxbury, (Warwick) September 22, 1736. At this time a committee was chosen to procure a surveyor and lay out the house lots, each lot to contain not more than 60 acres nor less than 50 acres. Each proprietor was taxed 23 shillings to defray the expense. In October 1737 the 60 proprietors drew their lots and began numbering them in the southwest part of the town. These were 160 rods long and 50 rods wide. Choice of lots favored the hills and high ridges which accounts for the fact that the roads almost wholly were laid out over the hills instead of through the valleys where conditions would have been more favorable. The original boundary of Warwick as laid out was as follows:—West by Northfield, six miles and 38 rods; on Erving's grant, two miles and 39 rods; north on line of New Hampshire, four miles 98 rods on Arlington or Winchester, and two miles 42 rods on east of Richmond (Province land); east on Royalston (Province land); Athol, or Pequig six miles, 30 rods, and south on Athol or Pequig.

The west and north boundaries of the town are the same as originally laid out, but when the town of Orange was incorporated, the southeast corner was removed, leaving a zig-zag boundary line of nearly six miles on said town. In 1737 a second division of farms was laid out, each to contain about 150 acres according to the quality of the land. This was for the purpose of equal valuation. On Beech Hill, for instance, the original lots contained about 100 acres, that being considered the best land. Other lots less valuable contained nearly 200 acres. Beech hill derived its name from the large and unusual growth of beech timber which formerly grew there, while Chestnut hill derived its name because of its many chestnut trees.

Flower hill received its name from circumstances which occurred there. Those who settled there were in the habit of setting fire to the woods each spring for they believed it produced a tender growth of trees and plants for their cattle. There was practically no pasture there at that time. This practice almost destroyed

the first growth of timber and the land was consequently considered of very little value. A man by the name of Ager settled on a tract of open land and some of his neighbors ridiculed him for attempting to get a living on so barren a lot. The old man replied to their taunts, "Maybe you're right but methinks some day this will be the 'flour' of Warwick."

The east part of the town, owing to its rough topography was sarcastically called "Moose Plain" while the north part, down through the Winchester road was called "The Brook" as a result of the stream of water which flows from the center of the town in that direction emptying finally into the Ashuelot river. The land lying south of Lake Moore was called "Skunk's Baron" because of the sterility of the soil.

In 1753 50 pounds was voted to defray the expense of building a sawmill in the southeast part of the town. It was also voted to build a meeting house 30 feet wide by 35 feet long with 19 foot posts 40 or 50 rods south of the Fish house now known as the Rockwood house. Later it was moved to the present church site, a compromise location to settle a dispute over the original site. The meeting house was completed on April 28, 1756 and Lemuel Hedge became the first minister in 1760. In 1757 the only fort in Warwick was built not far from where O. W. Cole now lives. On December 27, 1762, it was voted that the proprietors join with the inhabitants of the plantation to petition the General Court to be incorporated into a town, and on February 17, 1763 it was incorporated as the town of Warwick. This name probably originated from Warwick, England.

The first town meeting was held May 9, 1763, and at the second meeting held June 16, it was voted to pay Squire Paine 20 shillings for services at the General Court in getting the town incorporated. Twenty pounds for highways was also voted, those employed on the road to receive four shillings per day (66 2-3 cents) and two shillings for a yoke of oxen. One shilling was paid for a cart or plough. The first town road was laid out June 15, 1763, beginning at the Richmond, N. H., line near where Mr. Morey formerly lived and going southerly by L. L. Felton's and the Proctor Place.—Orange Journal and Transcript.

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### Hinsdale

Miss Rose Helen Jeffords returned Sunday to Simmons college, where she is a student.

A street light has been installed between the residence of Louis Kilhart and P. C. Stewart.

Theodore and John Rec are spending their vacation with relatives in Bondville, Mass.

There will be a special meeting of Naomi chapter, Order of Eastern Star in Masonic hall Friday evening.

Wantastiquet Grange held a tourist whist party Friday evening, January 1. The next regular meeting was January 6.

Last Friday evening the Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Church met at the parsonage to spend a social evening.

Miss Elizabeth Stearns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Stearns is third in the honor roll of the Dean academy freshman class.

The Mary E. Bradley Mission Circle will meet with Mrs. Thomas Butler, in her home on River street this week Thursday afternoon.

The annual concert and ball, under the auspices of the local Fire Department, will be held in the town hall on Friday evening, January 22.

Miss Ellen Watson, teacher in Stamford, Conn., has been spending the school vacation with her father, William E. Watson and Mrs. Watson.

Announcement has been made of the birth of a daughter, Arvilla Maude, on Dec. 25, to Marshall and Elizabeth Fales Hudson of this town.

Miss Eleanor Jeffords, student at Colby school for Girls in New London, N. H., returned there on Monday after having spent the school vacation at her home here.

Misses Marjorie and Priscilla Fay who teach school in Lempster, N. H., returned to that town Sunday, to resume their teaching duties on Monday.

Mrs. Robert G. Hildreth is substituting this week in the second grade of the Depot street school, on account of the illness of the regular teacher, Miss Margaret Call.

Jason P. Sikoski, Ora B. Smith, Francis Mannis, Bernard P. Peleck, and Ernest Gould returned on Monday to the University of New Hampshire, where they are students.

Miss Geraldine Young, student nurse at the Farren Memorial hospital in Montague City, Mass., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Young, for a few days.

There was a well attended watch night service at the Methodist Church. The Ladies' Aid served supper at six o'clock and an entertainment was given by the Westport young people. At ten o'clock Mr. Keif of Boston made an address, also Dr. Stringfellow, who led a consecration service for the New Year.

Arthur Atwood of Northfield, Mass. local salesman for the Granite State Mowing Machine company and Mrs. Etta Preston of Fairlee, Vt., were married Tuesday by the Rev. Roy H. Beane, pastor of the Methodist Epis-

copal church. The couple will reside in the downstairs tenement in the A. F. Fisher house, on Highland avenue. Mr. Atwood is a brother of Mrs. A. F. Fisher of this town.

The result of the doll contest conducted the last five weeks by the Paul H. Mann pharmacy was as follows: First, Phyllis Towne; second, Lorraine Gove; third, Marion Stancil; fourth, Marjorie Carpenter; fifth, Shirley Drugg of Winchester; sixth, Barbara Howard; seventh, Dorothy Field; eighth, Margaret Stancil; ninth, Stella Nowicki; 10th, Jennie Sadowski; 11th, Allison Mears; 12th, Edna Bokum; 13th, Eileen Mannis; 14th, Helen Kosyra; 15th, Stella Boluden.

Cabot Hubbard, 87, a former resident of Hinsdale, died Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Barret in Orange, Mass. Mr. Hubbard was born in Chesterfield, N. H., Dec. 27, 1884. He had been practically a life-long resident of Hinsdale until going to Orange a few years ago. Survivors include his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Barret of Orange, Mass., Mrs. Frank Davis of Winchester, N. H., and one son, of Springfield, Mass. Funeral services were held here in John M. Lamb's funeral home, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Johnson A. Haines, pastor of the First Congregational church officiated. Interment took place in the family lot in Pine Grove cemetery.

### Greenfield Fair Makes Profit Last Summer

The Greenfield Fair is reported to have made a profit of \$800 and those who worked so hard for its success are happy. President John W. Hais has stated that the report would show in addition that the total indebtedness of the Franklin County Agricultural society had been reduced to the lowest level since 1923, there now being about \$12,500 in mortgages. This excellent showing was made possible this year, according to President Hais by the good cash balance brought over from the previous year and through the very successful pre-fair ticket sale.

The financial showing made by the fair under adverse circumstances has been the subject of much favorable commendation because the past year was a particularly poor one financially for the fairs of New England most of which showed a deficit.

The total receipts from the 1932 fair were about \$14,200 while the expenditures were approximately \$13,400, leaving a balance of about \$800.

The annual meeting of the Franklin County Agricultural society will be held in Colrain on January 16, opening with a business session at 11 a. m. A dinner will follow at the Colrain hotel at noon and the officers are making a special effort this year to secure the attendance of nearly 150 members accompanied by their wives. President Hais will preside and there will be an entertainment program. A. W. Gilbert, state commissioner of agriculture and A. W. Lombard of the same department; C. A. Nash and Milton Danziger, both connected with the Eastern States Exposition, have been invited to address the meeting.

### Items Of Interest

Trolley service between Westfield and Springfield has been discontinued and a bus service on a 20 minute basis has been substituted.

With an empty town treasury the town of Hopkinton, Middlesex county, faced a sale of its \$25,000 town hall by auction to satisfy a debt of \$450 for the installation of a blower system in the new high school building. A loan from private sources saved the town from what might have been a disgraceful sale. Cheap politics certainly can get cities and towns into queer messes.

The state of Massachusetts starts the new year with the sum of \$2,146,200 of unencumbered cash, termed "free cash" for use during the new fiscal year. For the past few years the amount of free cash at the end of the 12-month fiscal period has been substantially larger last year it being \$5,210,000 but the showing made in 1931 is well up with normal business years.

The Eastern States Exposition has announced its dates for "the big show" for 1932 as being the full week September 18th to 24th inclusive.

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Wednesday, January 13

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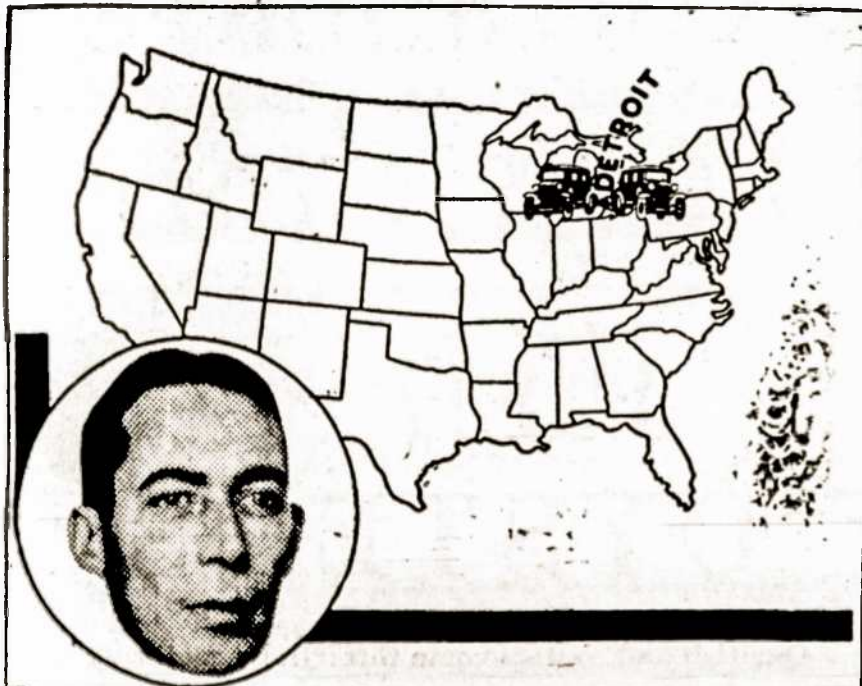
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### Medford Man Wins 166th Auto In Nationwide Slogan Contest



JOHN F. A. Feeney, of 4 First St., Medford, Mass., is the 166th to win an automobile in a nationwide slogan contest. He is the tenth winner in Massachusetts.

Mr. Feeney acquired his new car by writing twenty words descriptive of the quality and merits of the Certified Cremo Cigar, each word on the back of a Cremo cigar band. Every day, except Sundays, until further notice, the American Cigar Company awards a closed car to the author of the best statement.

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The efforts of the contestants in this competition are rewarded with the choice of a Ford, Chevrolet or Plymouth automobile, worth at current prices, about \$40 for each of the twenty words.

Doctors, dentists, housewives, business men, clerks, airplane mechanics, ministers, teachers, newspaper people and farmers have been among the winners of the contest. Salesmen were represented by the largest group of winners. Artisans in various trades came next. Laborers and janitors and telegraph operators, too, have acquired automobiles by the Twenty Word route.

### Bernardston

The annual meeting of the Community club will be held in the town hall on the afternoon of January 12, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. John Upright has returned to her home in Conway after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dean.

George Raymond has received word of the death of his brother-in-law, Herman Hathaway of Buckland. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond and Mrs. Henry Deane attended the funeral Wednesday.

Miss Katherine Foster has returned home from the Franklin County hospital where she has been three weeks following an operation for appendicitis.

Misses Jean and Marguerite Foster have returned to Middlebury college after two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Sarah Field entertained the "Old Colony club" at her home on Huckle hill Tuesday afternoon.

### Vernon

An all-day meeting will be held Tuesday, January 12 in the vestry of the church. The Ladies Circle will furnish dinner at 12 o'clock. In the afternoon the home demonstration group will meet, when upholstering will be demonstrated by Miss Elizabeth Ricker.

Sunday services at the Union church at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. E. E. Jones. Bible school at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morse, Miss Mildred and Harry Morse were called to Burke, Vt., by the death of Mrs. Morse's father, whose funeral services were held December 25.

The Jolly Eight Bridge Club met Thursday evening, December 31st with Mrs. Leslie Phillips.

### NOTICE

R. I. Red chicks hatched January 16. Two hatches weekly from tested stock, fast growing strain, that live, no cannibalism. Ward's Poultry Farm, Bernardston, Mass. Telephone 1-3-21

## Personals - Locals

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Merrifield have returned from a holiday visit at Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dunnell spent the week-end on a visit to friends and relatives in Amherst.

Capt. and Mrs. J. S. Wisdom, summer residents of Northfield are spending the winter at Mt. Dora, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fitt have returned home after spending the holidays with their daughter and family at Wayne, Pa.

Mr. M. D. Birdsall, vice president of the Northfield Brotherhood, will be acting president of that organization while President Duley is away on his leave of absence.

Mid-year examinations at Northfield Seminary will probably commence on Monday, January 18th and continue until Saturday, the 23rd, when the registration for the second semester takes place.

Frank S. Ewing 76, for many years president of the Minute Tapioca company died Tuesday at his home in Revere. His first wife was Hattie E. Sibley who was well known in Eastern Star Circles and had been a friend of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Stearns.

Mrs. L. H. Lazelle was much interested in reading the story of "The Mother Who Perished" in our last issue and since her folks had lived in the vicinity of that tragedy she remembered as a child the facts of the same as told her by her mother.

### All Polish Film At The Strand, Winchester

Always alert to the trend of the times, the management of the Strand Theatre, Winchester, has secured by special arrangement with the Paramount Pictures Corp., of New York, the first All-Polish Feature Film ever to be screened in New England. This inaugurates quite an innovation in theatre management, and will undoubtedly please many of the residents of the county, as it affords many of our citizens, of foreign extraction an opportunity of seeing and hearing their own native actors and language.

### Mount Hermon Alumni To Have Debate

The finals of the alumni debate at Mount Hermon will be held some time in February. The subject chosen is Resolved, that "Fascism is a Menace to Italy." The affirmative will be upheld by E. H. Summersgill of Garden City, New York; and Melvin E. Woodland of Boston; the negative will be defended by H. Z. Ouseiran of Arabia, and Richard C. Rotherham of Boston.

### Recommends 10 Per Cent Cut

Mayor Sweeney of Gardner on Monday, recommended a 10 per cent reduction in pay of all city employees of Gardner, beginning with the Mayor and including every man and woman on the municipal pay roll. A new City Hall was also recommended for Gardner, owing to the present low costs of building.

### Rainfall Is Normal During The Year 1931

The year 1931 proved nearly a normal one in regard to the amount of rainfall in Northfield according to the record kept at the Northfield Seminary by Mr. George W. Carr. The rain fall did not come with any degree of regularity or averages and there were periods when the ground was unusually dry.

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- Odd lot of Men's Work Shoes — Original Price \$5.00  
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- Lot of Men's Bass Work Shoes — Original Price \$4.50  
SALE PRICE \$3.89
- Odd lot of Men's Heavy Fleece lined Shirts and Drawers  
Original Price up to \$1.50 — SALE PRICE 79c
- Odd lot of Boy's Shoes — Original Price up to \$6.00  
SALE PRICE \$2.98
- Men's Heavy All Wool Sweaters, Navy and Tan  
Original Price up to \$10.00 — SALE PRICE \$7.48
- Men's Blue Chambray Work Shirts  
SALE PRICE 45c
- Men's Stag Brand Dress Shirts — Original Price \$3.00  
SALE PRICE \$1.89
- Men's Winter Caps — Fur Underlap, — Original Price \$2.00  
SALE PRICE \$1.49
- Men's Winter Caps — Fur Underlap, — Original Price \$1.00  
SALE PRICE 39c
- Men's Heavy Cotton Stockings — Original Price 25c  
SALE PRICE 19c

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### Winchester

Mrs. Helen Cota has closed her bakery until further notice.

Mrs. Roy Cook and daughter have returned from a visit with relatives in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alban Lobail of Woburn, Mass., spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. Lobdell.

Chauncey Weeks has closed his meat market and will soon start a meat cart.

Mr. John Hanley of North Main Street has been visiting friends in Springfield, Mass.

The annual meeting of the Universalist Parish will be held Jan. 11 at 7.30 in the vestry of the church.

Miss Emily Atherton spent several days during her vacation with her brother in Litchfield, Conn.

Mrs. Guy Mitchell who has been in the Elliott Hospital Keene, has returned to her home much improved.

Miss Irene Davis of the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, Boston, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Davis.

Mrs. Percy Hill has returned to her home after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Greenwood of Woodsville, N. H.

Donald Hayes has returned to the Bliss Electrical School Washington, Beland Pierce, Eugene Felch and Lawrence Prentice to New Hampshire State College.

Mrs. Eva Prentice who has been very ill is somewhat improved. For a number of years she has conducted a rooming house, but has been forced to give this up on account of her health.

B. B. Grovo, Mrs. Delia Powers and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis attended the funeral of Mr. C. J. Hubbard in Hinsdale on Monday afternoon. Mr. Hubbard was the father of Mrs. Davis.

Joint installation of officers of Richmond and Arlington Grange will be held Monday evening, January 11th at 8 o'clock at the Grange Hall, Winchester. Mr. Ryder of Marlboro, N. H., will be the installing officer.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Atherton and daughter of Litchfield, Conn., Winston Atherton of Stamford, Conn., Weston Atherton and Miss Ruth Geomey of Cagamore, Mass., were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Atherton.

On January 8 in the Congregational Vestry at 2.30 the Winchester Women's Club will meet. This meeting is in charge of the American Home Department and they have secured Mr. P. N. Clarke of Illinois Engineer of the Westinghouse Lamp Co. of Boston, Mass. His lecture with slides will be about different ways of lighting your home. There will be music and tea will be served.

Arlington Grange held a successful card party Tuesday evening, December 29th. There were 10 tables of whistplayers. Prizes were won by Florence Scott, Edmund Payaski, Mrs. Alex Smofagi and James Polaski. The next party will be held on Tuesday January 12. Stella Snow with a score of 222 points and Fred Baker with a score of 229 points are ahead in the series of parties which are being held.

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Furniture and fixtures .. 1,250.00	Reserves for dividends, contingencies, etc ..... 400.00
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The New York hotel in the city of that name sent out a quarter of a million questionnaires to American housewives to discover the favorite dish of each State. The preferences in the first 25 States tabulated are: New York—Macaroni or spaghetti. Montana—Corned beef and cabbage. Arizona—Hot tamale pie. Ohio—Devil's food cake. Michigan—Open-faced cherry pie. Maine—Baked Beans. West Virginia—Ham. North Carolina—Ice box rolls. North Dakota—Upside-down salad. Maryland—Fried chicken. Illinois—Pig-in-blanket. Wisconsin—Chiffon lemon pie. Arkansas—Chicken coo-coo (a form of fried chicken). Oklahoma—Chicken tamale pie. New Mexico—Frijoles. Iowa—Cornbread. Wyoming—White beans with tomato sauce. Mississippi—Blue lantern pie. Nebraska—Cooked red cabbage. Kentucky—Waffles and corn pudding. Kansas—Rabbit. Louisiana—Creole gumbo with rice. Connecticut—Roast lamb. Colorado—Mountain trout. New Jersey—Hungarian style stuffed cabbage.

Father: I'm surprised that you should become infatuated with that girl. Why, you should have been able to read her like a book.  
Son: Well, you see, dad, the light was rather low.

### Humane Traps Wanted By Anti-Steel Trap League

Started in 1925 as a humane movement to end torturing methods of capturing fur-bearing animals the National Anti-Steel Trap League, Inc., founded in Washington by the late Edward Breck, author, editor, sportsman and a lieutenant commander in the navy, has not only established divisions throughout this country, but has been the means of fostering similar societies in Great Britain.

Announcement is made by the league that it will award \$500 in cash prizes, as during other years, for the best new humane inventions for the capture of fur-bearing animals. Devices or working models must be delivered at the offices of the league, 1731 K street, not later than December 1, 1932.

The prizes, which are known as the Breck awards, are for two classes of devices, those which kill immediately and those which take animals alive without injury.

Since the United States leads all other countries in the production of fur, the league has centered its work in the awakening of public conscience that will cause the cessation of cruelties inflicted by common trapping devices which are responsible for the lingering deaths of 100,000,000 warm-blooded animals annually. Through its efforts, South Carolina, Georgia and more recently Massachusetts have enacted anti-steel trap laws for the protection of animals. Upon the death of her husband, Mrs. Edward Breck became president of the league and carried on the fight in Massachusetts until the law was carried by a majority of 600,000 in a state referendum.

Wild animals are so inadequately protected by state laws, it was pointed out, that complete extermination threatens some of the most interesting species. The annual catch of raccoon has dropped from 1,000,000 to 600,000, while the skunk, economically valuable to the farmer as an eater of rodents, bugs and beetles, is being sacrificed.

Comparable to the effort to abolish the use of torturing devices in taking fur was the campaign waged a generation ago, with ultimate success, to save the beautiful egret of the Southern swamps. The practice of stripping the lovely bird, thereby killing it and leaving the young to die, was stopped by an energetic campaign.—Washington Star.

### Auto Show In New York

When the doors opened last Saturday to the National Automobile Show in Grand Central Palace, New York, Chevrolet occupied the position of honor on the show floor for the fifth consecutive year.

Each year the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce awards first place at the national shows to the member company which has done the largest dollar volume of business in the previous 12 months.

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Several automobile representatives and individuals from Northfield expect to attend.

Rural Doctor (meeting patient) I've er-taken the liberty of sending in my little account again.  
Patient: Is that so? Well, acting on your advice I'm avoiding business worries for the present.

### Hermon School Notes

Rev. Lester P. White, pastor of the church was the speaker at the morning service last Sunday in Camp hall.

Vacation ended on Tuesday and classes began on Wednesday.

With the coming of snow all the outdoor sports like skiing and snowshoeing, and also hockey will occupy the attention of the students.

Axel B. Forslund, the director of athletics, has been attending the meetings of the coaches and athletic committees in New York the past few days.

Prof. and Mrs. L. W. Ellinwood are rejoicing in the arrival of a son, John Webster Thursday, December 31st at the Franklin County Hospital. Mother and child are doing nicely.

### Northfield Farms

Mrs. Eva Stacy is recovering from a severe cold.

Miss Elizabeth Eastman is working for Mrs. Dan Donahue who is recovering from injuries she received in a fall.

Mrs. Frank V. Wood is gaining now after her recent sickness.

The local schools reopened on Monday after their vacation over Christmas and New Years.

Melvin and Lyle Glazier returned to Middlebury College Monday after spending their holiday vacation with their parents.

Mrs. Jennie Cone and son William Cone of Orange spent Wednesday with Mrs. O. L. Leach and family.

The heavy snow of Saturday at last has given the youngsters a chance to use their sleds this winter and they are making the best of the opportunity.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whitaker went to Athol on Sunday on receiving news of the illness of their nephew, who was operated on for appendicitis.

Miss Sadie Jardine who has been staying for a number of weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Whitaker, has gone to Athol to be with her brother and family.

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### Brattleboro's Relief

The pay roll of Brattleboro's Relief Fund amounted to \$2590.55 last week and distributed among 186 people. This plan of affording work to those who are in need comes as a very timely help at this period. The total thus far expended in seven weeks amounts to \$9,117.25.

### Cost Of Education

The expenditure for education in the United States in 1931, as estimated by the Federal Office of Education, were \$3,200,000,000. There were about 30,000,000 enrolled pupils, including 21,211,325 in elementary schools, 4,354,815 in high schools, and 1,099,608 in institutions of higher learning. The number of teachers in the United States is estimated at 1,029,000.

### Motor Safely

Motor Vehicle Registrar Morgan T. Ryan in speaking over the radio last week made an earnest plea to motorists to drive and act safely on the public highways of the state especially throughout the coming year.

He pointed out that 793 persons were killed by automobiles on the Massachusetts highways during 1931 and 50,000 were seriously injured and urged everyone to keep safety uppermost in mind and reduce liability to life and limb to a minimum.

### Real Estate Transfers

Barnardston—None.  
Northfield—None.  
Warwick—Fenton, Leroy L.—Carl T. Nawkervis, north part of Warwick.

### High School Notes

School closed Thursday for the observance of New Year's day.

The school lunch on Thursday was creamed salmon on toast, fruit cup and cookies while that for this Wednesday is to be hamburger steak, and Waldorf salad.

Among the visitors last Wednesday and Thursday were: Melvin and Lyle Glazier, Victoria Bartus, Elizabeth Eastman, Bessie Cembalisky, Grace Tenney, Fanny Lombard, Eunice Holton, Miss Aurelia Ferguson, Miss Beatrice Gerrish and Arlene Lee.

Miss Lawley has posted the schedule for mid-year exams which begin February 8th.

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### Seminary Items

The next number of the Northfield Seminary entertainment course will be Saturday evening January 9th at 7.45 o'clock at Silverthorne Hall when Frances Homer, the impersonator will present a most interesting program.

The Christmas tree which was lighted just before the vacation period started was illuminated each evening during the holiday season to the admiration of many who visited the campus and remained to greet the eye of the returning students.

### Personals - Locals

Mr. James Dale who was badly injured in the accident to the fire truck on Christmas day was brought to his home from the hospital last Friday and is reported as resting comfortably and recovering from his injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Pomeroy of Northampton were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Gould. Mrs. M. L. Snow and Miss Mabel R. Snow of Brattleboro were New Year guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Gould.

It is rumored that Sears Roebuck will give an exhibition here soon of their electrical appliances.

The Kindergarten school of Miss Barbara Williams has been increased by the enrollment of Edwin Finch and Victor Sherwood as new members.

The Registrars of Voters have announced Wednesday evenings January 13th and 20th as the time for registration of voters and the place, the selectmen's room, Town Hall.

Motorists passing through Northfield report 10 to 12 inches of snow on the Berkshire trail and about 12 inches on the Mohawk Trail.

On Tuesday afternoon, January 5, Rev. Charles C. Conner attended the funeral of Mrs. Amorette A. Williams, who was nearly 86 years of age in Williamsville, Vt. She had been a teacher in the public school there in her early years and it had been her home for more than 60 years.

Rev. Henry Atkinson of the Westminster Theological seminary in Philadelphia has been spending the holidays with his family who are spending the winter here at the home of Mrs. Tacy Atkinson.

Miss Jennie Haight, who was at Betsy Moody Infirmary before the closing of the seminary for the holiday has been in Brattleboro Memorial hospital the past week.

Miss Jean Giebel returned to her studies in the junior class of the high school on Monday after more than ten weeks of absence because of illness.

Through the efforts of Mr. Thomas Parker who secured the specimen, a section of an apple tree containing a large collection of gypsy moths is on exhibition in the window of Mr. Lawrence's store in the Proctor block. It is well worth seeing.

Mr. A. P. Fitt will resume her social gatherings with the local girls club at her home this Friday evening.

The advertisement of Mr. Piper in our issue today calls attention to an opportunity of work in his profession.

The Directors of the Northfield Printing Co., held a largely attended meeting of its Directors on Tuesday evening and arranged for the annual meeting of the stockholders to be held on Tuesday evening, February 2nd.

A special issue of "Lake Placid" two cent stamps will be released in the near future according to local postal authorities.

The Community Club will hold another of its popular dances in the Town Hall this Saturday evening. Music by Jillson's Orchestra.

Mr. Harold L. Deane of Greenfield was a visitor at The Herald office Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Andrews of Warwick Avenue are happy in the arrival of a daughter, born Thursday, December 31st.

The Morgans spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Turner of Greenfield.

Miss Clarissa and Mr. Edward Morgan who have been here for the holidays returned to Cambridge.

Miss Ida Leavis and her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Leavis of Glenwood avenue have returned home from a holiday visit at Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Solandt of Ashuelot Road are both ill with the gripe. Mr. Scranton of Vernon is caring for them.

Rev. George C. Makepeace is confined to his home with the "grippe."

The first heavy snow storm of last Saturday brought out the snow plows and our highways were soon in good condition for travel. Autoists without chains were caught unaware and the garages did a lively business in supplying this accessory.

Quite a large number of Northfield's young people attended the "Gables" dance at South Deerfield on New Year's eve.

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East Northfield

## Bernardston

The district schools re-opened again Monday after a two weeks vacation.

Miss Irene Matosky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Matosky, is ill with the measles.

John Sutherland has returned to town from Springfield and entered school here.

The Union Missionary Class will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. A. W. Ward.

Miss Alice Cushman of Hartford, Conn., has been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cushman.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Dunnell and son of Keene, N. H., spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunnell.

Kathleen Foster is home from the Franklin County Hospital and is slowly recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Edith Ayer formerly of Orange has entered the Junior Class. Her brother, Howard, is a member of the Sophomore class.

M. S. Hamilton who has been spending a few days at the home of his daughter Mrs. J. L. McCloud returned to his home Saturday.

The Seniors of Powers Institute will hold a poverty ball at the town hall on January 8. People are requested to come in old clothes.

Spelling Honor Roll for the sixth and seventh grades: Sixth grade, Lila Lambert; Seventh grade, Doris Clark, Celeste Madden, Elinor Whitaker.

Mrs. Fay Eldred and infant son, Dana Fay, returned Monday to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Allen, from the Franklin County hospital.

John Sutherland, who was a student at Powers Institute last year has enrolled in the Junior class. This fall he has been attending the Central High School at Springfield.

The Bernardston Athletic Association held its monthly meeting at Mr. Newton Kratz's home. There was a large attendance. Refreshments were served. A good time was had by all.

There will be a Parish meeting on Saturday evening this week at the Unitarian Church. The sermon at the Church next Sunday will be on "How to Achieve the True Aim in Worship."

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Pierce came from Springfield Thursday and spent three days at their home here, returning Sunday to Springfield, where Dr. Pierce will receive further medical treatment.

The Goodale United Church will meet Sunday morning at the usual time with Rev. Truesdell officiating. Sunday School will follow the morning service. C. E. will be led by Ruth Truesdell.

Mrs. Evelyn Clark and Miss Liza Hale went to Westfield Thursday where Mrs. Clark remained and Miss Hale went to Concord for the weekend, returning Sunday to her school in New Jersey.

Boys interested in practicing basketball and having the use of a gymnasium have been given the chance by Coach Nichols of Greenfield High to practice Monday afternoons at the Greenfield High School.

The Young People have been enjoying the skating on the mill pond several days until the snow came and spoiled it. The sophomore class of Powers Institute enjoyed a skating party one evening and sold hot dogs.

The Fall edition of the Pendulum Echo is now on sale. About fifty copies have been sold to students of the Institute. Frank Foster Jr., is the official salesman for the Echo. People seem to be very pleased with our latest edition of the Echo.

The installation of Grange officers was held in the town hall Wednesday night. The Grange was honored by the presence of Mr. Henry Jinks, who is the state Master. A supper was served after the formal meeting. There was a good attendance.

The ladies of Goodale United church served a fine dinner in the church vestry last Wednesday evening January 6th. The committee for the dinner was Mrs. May Streeter, chairman; Mrs. Harold Cairns, Mrs. Herman Werinens, Mrs. Henry Crowell and Mrs. J. L. Grover.

The Senior Pendulum Echo board held a party at Cushman Hall in honor of the new Echo board. Refreshments were served by Miss Natalie Ward, the games were in charge of Mr. Clarence Pillson, the hall was decorated by Mr. Archie Snow and Miss Mabel Raymond.

The Typing Classes have been practicing on speed sentences last week. The eight highest students and their speeds are as follows: Abbie Burrows 122, Irene Streeter 127, Ronald Willis 112, Mildred Lawrence 105, Clarence Jilison 98, Leslie Martin 90, Allen Snow 88, Chauncey Townsend 86, Natalie Ward 82.

A group of Powers Institute high school boys who are greatly interested in basketball played an informal game with a scout troop from the North Parish in Greenfield at Nash's Mills last Friday evening. The boys were: Leslie Martin, Earle Kratz, Edwin Pratt, Roger Bardwell, Chauncey Townsend, and Richard Gordon. Our boys won 41-12.

Mr. Geibel of Northfield will preach at the Baptist Church Sunday, January 10. The Baptist Sunday School staff has been reorganized. On account of the resignation of Mrs. Win-

## Winter Carnivals

### In New England

More than 80 communities in northern New England have set dates for winter carnivals during January and February as announced by the bulletin of the Boston and Maine R. R. Olympic winter games are to be held at Lake Placid, N. Y., February 4 to 13.

Brattleboro, Vt., on the 29th will hold the New England championship ski tournament and the carnival at Laconia, N. H., on February 12, 13 and 14 will again feature the New England sled dog race. State championship ski meets will include Massachusetts championship at Lancaster on February 22. The carnival list follows:

January 2, Meredith, N. H., sled dog races; 9th, 10th, Lewiston, Me.; 15th, 16, 17, Newport, Vt., ski jumping and ice carnival; 22nd, 23rd, Claremont, N. H.; 24th, Brattleboro, Vt. New England championship ski tournament; 29th, Woodsville, N. H. Wells River, Vt., joint carnival of Silver Fox Outing club; 29th, 30th, Warner, N. H., Durham, N. H., Chester, Vt., 30th, St. Johnsbury, Vt., interscholastic winter sports tournament; 30th, 31st, Woodstock, Ct., ski runners meet.

February 4, 5, Littleton, N. H.; 5th, 6th, Hanover, N. H., Dartmouth college carnival; Rumford, Me., Maine State interscholastic meet; 5th, 6th, 7th, Tilton, N. H.; 6th, Lyndon Center, Vt.; Springfield, Vt., interscholastic winter sports meet; 12th, 13th, Northfield, Vt., Norwich university carnival; 12th, 13th, 14, Laconia, N. H.; New England sled dog race; 13th, 14th, 15th, Greenfield, Mass., U. S. eastern ski championship meet; 19th, Bellows Falls, Vt.; 20th, 21st, 22d, Wilton, N. H., Williamstown, Mass.; 21st, 22d, Whitefield, N. H.; 22d, Lebanon, N. H., U. S. eastern interscholastic ski championship meet; 22d, Ashburnham, Mass., Lancaster, Mass., Massachusetts state championship ski meet; 22d, Lyndonville, Vt., Gorham, Me.

## Income Tax Collector Here February 3rd

State income tax blanks have been received by the tax payers of the county and Charles T. Ward deputy collector for this district, is already receiving returns. He will visit several of the county towns as a convenience to residents in filing and his schedule is as follows:—Greenfield—Jan. 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, 30. Feb. 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 20 at the selectmen's room in the town hall from 9 a.m., to 4.30 p.m. on week days except Saturday, when the hours are from 9 a.m., to noon; Ashfield town hall, Jan. 20, from 10 a.m., to 3 p.m.; Conway town hall, Jan. 22, 10 a.m., to 3 p.m.; Northfield town hall, Feb. 3, 10 a.m., to 3 p.m. Orange town hall, Jan. 27, 10 a.m., to 3 p.m.; Shelburne Falls town hall, Jan. 13, 28, 9 a.m., to 3 p.m.

## Real Estate Transfers

Bernardston—Davenport, Wm. A. Tr.—Edw. D. Saxton, adj. P. M. Slate land.

Gill—Bruno, Angelo Clarence—Asher J. Brooks, two parcels at Riverside.

Northfield—None.

Warwick—None.

## Farm Values Decline

The Bureau of the Census finds that the value of all farm land and buildings in the United States declined approximately \$20,000,000,000 during the past decade. The present value of farms and their improvements is placed at \$47,879,838,368. The corresponding figure for 1920 was \$66,816,002,602. It should be noted that the figures quoted do not include the value of live stock and equipment on the farms of the country.

The Community Club will hold their regular fortnightly dance at Northfield Town Hall, Saturday night, Jan. 9th. Music by Jillson's Orchestra.—Adv. E. O. W.—5-29-31.

## North Leverett

Mrs. Edith Baxter and son William attended the funeral of Mrs. Lina D. Wilson at Charlemont Thursday afternoon.

Miss Evangeline Barry returned to Mrs. John Ward's home Sunday afternoon. She spent her Christmas vacation with her parents in Beverly.

The funeral of Leslie Boutwell was held in McCarthy's Undertaking Parlor in Greenfield Friday afternoon. He had been partially paralyzed and cared for at the home of his brother, Emory S. Boutwell for twenty three years. He leaves four other brothers, J. E. Boutwell of North Adams; Orville of Charlemont, George of Greenfield and Clarence of Montague besides several nieces and nephews.

nie Newton, Mrs. Ray Franklin has been appointed teacher of the intermediate class. Albert La Valley is teaching the class of boys of Junior High School age. Mrs. Phely is now teacher of the young ladies class.

The new Board of Editors of Pendulum Echo is Editor-in-chief, Lena Corkins; Assistant Editor, Eunice Adams; Business Manager, Edwin Pratt; Assistant Manager, Roger Bardwell; Activities Editor, Earl Kratz; Alumni Editors, Ruth Stoddard, Raymond Hennequin, and Howard Day; Exchange Editors, Raymond Griswold, Richard Sumner and Chester Duprey; Joke Editor, Mildred Lawrence.

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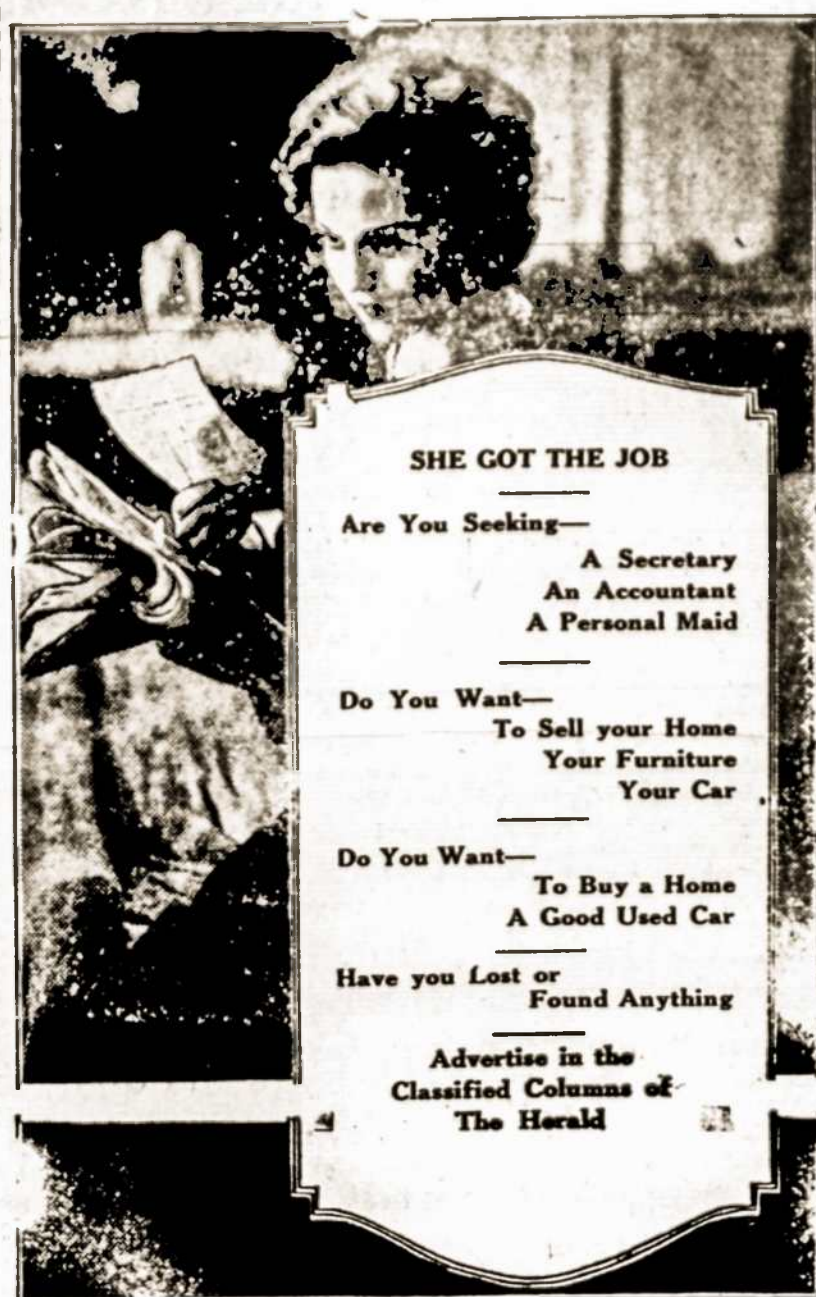
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all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:—  
"a certain tract or parcel of land, with buildings thereon, situate in said Northfield, on the easterly side of Main Street, and known as the 'Mountain View Hotel' property, and being the premises this day conveyed to us by deed of Mary Monat, to be recorded in Franklin County Registry of Deeds.

Said premises are conveyed subject to two mortgages to the Orange Savings bank, on which \$9,000.00 of principal remains unpaid.

Excepting from the above described premises the gasoline pump and tanks situate thereon, which belong to the Standard Oil Company.

This mortgage is given as part consideration for the purchase price of land this day conveyed to me by the grantee (Mary Monat) herein, and the deed conveying said land and this mortgage were each executed at one and the same time and as parts of one transaction.

Said premises will be sold subject to two mortgages to the Orange Savings Bank, on which \$9,000 of principal remains unpaid, and subject to lien of all unpaid taxes.  
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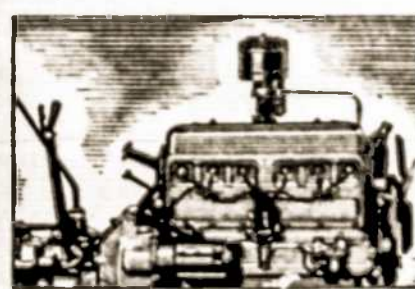
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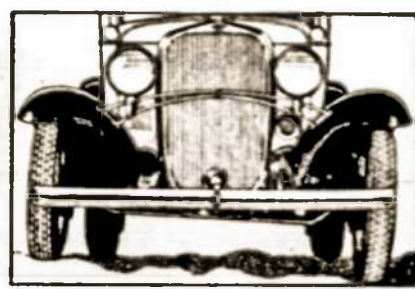
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## South Vernon

Mrs. Davis who has been ill at the Vernon Home is much better.

The schools in town opened Monday January 4th after a 2 weeks vacation.

Mrs. A. Martindale is very slowly improving. She ate her Christmas dinner with the family.

Miss Laura Martineau and Victor Vaughan are among the list of those who have returned to Northfield High school, and Robert Bruce to Mount Hermon.

Warren Brown returned Monday to Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt., after having enjoyed his Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. M. H. Brown.

Warren Brown called at the home of Mrs. Jennie Fairman in Vernon, Vt., recently and found Mrs. Nellie Rice slowly improving in health. She was up around the house, but still quite weak.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Bouldry and family and her sister, Miss Ruth French of East Bridgewater, Mass., were Christmas guests of their father, Aiden French and family. They have now returned home.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Norton (who live at the Vernon Home) will be glad to know he has sufficiently regained his health so as to be able to attend the church service last Sunday morning.

At last Sunday morning's service the pastor Rev. George A. Gray spoke on the subject, "God's New Day." A beautiful solo was sung by E. W. Dunklee and enjoyed by the audience. In the evening a very interesting praise service was held followed by a sermon by the pastor.

Next Sunday the church service at the South Vernon Church will be at: 10.45 a.m., Sermon by the pastor, Rev. George A. Gray; 12.15 p.m., Church School; 7 p.m., Praise Service, followed by a sermon by the pastor; 7.30 p.m., Thursday, Mid-week service at the Vernon Home; 7.30 p.m., Friday, Choir rehearsal at the parsonage.

Rev. and Mrs. George A. Gray and two daughters, Misses Dorothy and Nina visited friends and attended the Watch Night Service in Fall River, Mass., Thursday. When they returned home to South Vernon, Mrs. Gray's half brother, Clifford Poole of Fall River came back with them for a visit from Friday to Sunday, this being

the first time he had ever been in Vermont. He was very much pleased with the place.

At the Sunday school session the officers of the Sunday School were chosen for the coming year. All the same officers were re-elected for the coming year, excepting the Assistant Sunday school superintendent, Mrs. B. L. Spiller, who has moved out of town. This makes A. A. Dunklee, serving as Sunday School Superintendent almost continuously for 45 years with an exception of a short time when Mrs. B. L. Spiller took his place.

## Warwick

Miss Grace Alexander is at the Maples for the winter.

Schools reopened last Monday after a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Malouin are spending the winter in Boston.

The Woman's Guild held their regular meeting in the vestry of the church Thursday afternoon, January 7.

The remains of Donald Williams of Northfield, son of Frank W. and Margaret Reed Williams, both natives of this town, were brought here for interment in the Williams lot.

Rev. Frank Gale of Dorchester, preached in the Federated church last Sunday. Next Sunday it is expected that Elmer Drury of Ohio will supply the pulpit. Mr. Drury comes as a candidate.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Mansfield were called to Watertown last Friday by the death of Mr. Mansfield's brother, who died from the effects of injuries received when he was struck by an automobile.

Mrs. F. R. Lincoln, who has been ill for the past two weeks was taken to the Heywood Memorial hospital for observation. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery and that she will soon be able to return home.

The newly elected officers of Warwick Grange will be installed Friday evening by Deputy Fred B. Dole of Shelburne Falls. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Oleson, Mr. and Mrs. Hadel and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lincoln.

The Community Club will hold their regular fortnightly dance at Northfield Town Hall, Saturday night, Jan. 9th. Music by Jillson's Orchestra.—Adv. E. O. W.—5-29-1f.

## Broadway's Kern on Home State Program



BROADWAY will send its greetings to New York, and New York, through the medium of radio, will send its message of history, lore, and resources over the air, when "The Parade of States," General Motors radio program, broadcasts an all-Emple State bill soon Jerome Kern, like whom there was no other song smith in the days of his own "Ol Man River," will be guest conductor in the program which will include a tribute by Bruce Barton, read by Charles Webster. Erno Rapee, also on the podium, will complete the duo of conductors for the evening. Florida, Nevada and Illinois are among some of the states scheduled to be honored in subsequent broadcasts.



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### Personals — Locals

Northfield seminary opened for the  
new term on Tuesday, Jan. 5th.

Mrs. Alice Kenney who has been  
quite ill is reported as much improved.

So far as known no "Watch Night"  
services were held in Northfield and  
most of our people retired early as  
usual New Year's evening.

Many Northfield people who have  
visited the Montgomery Ward Store  
at Greenfield now closing will be in-  
terested to learn that Mr. David J.  
Foley who was manager has been  
transferred to Portsmouth, N. H., and

Mr. Thomas Moran his assistant has  
gone to Freeport, N. Y. These men  
were always courteous to their North-  
field customers.

A mortgagee's sale of the property  
on Main street, known as the Moun-  
tain View hotel, will be held Saturday  
January 16th, at 3 p.m.

Mr. Kidder has installed an instru-  
ment for testing radio tubes, which  
test may be had free of charge.

Miss Mary Spencer, who has been  
very ill with acute arthritis for sever-  
al weeks, is still confined to her home.

Miss Margaret Matthews of the local high  
English department at the local high

school spent the larger part of her vaca-  
tion in New York City where she  
was a social worker for five years.

Dr. W. G. Webber who has been  
enjoying a brief respite from his work  
during the vacation period of the  
Northfield Schools has returned to his  
office.

Miss Helen Symonds, teacher at the  
North High School of Worcester spent  
the holiday season at the home of her  
mother, Mrs. E. E. Symonds on High-  
land avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Reese of Philadel-  
phia spent the holidays with Mr. and  
Mrs. S. E. Whitmore.

Richard Buffum and Miss Harriett  
Atkinson left last Saturday to return  
by motor bus, via New York City, to  
Wheaton, Ill.

Mrs. Bessie E. Symonds who has  
been ill with the grippe for a while is  
leaving to spend the winter in Wash-  
ington, D. C.

N. Faye Smith of Fitchburg Nor-  
mal school has been with his mother  
the past two weeks on Birnam road.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pomeroy of  
Northampton were guests over New  
Year day of Mr. and Mrs. Henry R.  
Gould.

Several special Boston and Maine  
R. R. busses brought the Seminary  
students back to their studies on Mon-  
day evening.

Mr. Charles F. Slate has been ab-  
sent from his duties as Postmaster  
at the Northfield Post office owing to  
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### State Searching For Its Oldest Mother

Massachusetts, in common with  
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est mother. The eldest mother found  
in the United States will represent the  
motherhood of the country on Mother's  
Day, May 8 in Washington. She  
will be entertained as the nation's  
guest, this eldest native-born American  
mother whose health is sufficient-  
ly sound to stand the strain of the in-  
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The plan is being carried out by the  
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ton Bicentennial commission, in co-  
operation with the General Federa-  
tion of Women's clubs. This eldest  
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Our steps we trace; may opportunity  
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To grace the plane of man."

#### HINTS ABOUT FROSTINGS

WHEN a frosting is desired which  
may be used in a pastry tube, the  
following is especially good:

**Butter Frosting.**  
Blend two tablespoonfuls of creamed  
butter very gradually with two cup-  
fuls of confectioner's sugar, adding  
one to two tablespoonfuls of boiling  
milk or water, a very little at a time,  
to make it of the proper consistency to  
force through the pastry tube or bag.  
Add flavor and coloring to taste.

**Frosting for Cake.**  
Boil one-half cupful of sugar with  
three tablespoonfuls of water and one  
teaspoonful of vinegar until the sirup  
spins a thread. Pour hot over the  
stiffly beaten white of an egg, add a  
few grains of salt and a half tea-  
spoonful of vanilla. Spread over the  
cake and sprinkle with coconut.

**Nougat Ice Cream.**  
Mix one quart of thin cream, three  
cupfuls of heavy cream and one cup-  
ful of milk. Boil one and one-half  
cupfuls of sugar and one-half cupful  
of water two minutes, cool and add  
to the cream. Add one-fourth tea-  
spoonful of salt, one and one-half tea-  
spoonfuls of vanilla and one-half tea-  
spoonful of almond extract. Mix one-  
half cupful each of chopped walnuts  
or hickory nuts with blanched almonds,  
add to the mixture and freeze. Pack  
three of four hours to ripen.

**Chocolate Rice Pudding.**  
Soak four tablespoonfuls of rice in  
one pint of milk one-half hour, add one  
teaspoonful of salt, and cook in a  
double boiler until the rice is tender.  
Mix two tablespoonfuls of butter with  
two-thirds of a cupful of sugar, two  
squares of melted chocolate, one-half  
cupful of seeded raisins cut fine, one  
teaspoonful of vanilla, and the rice  
mixture, one-half cupful of heavy  
cream whipped and the stiffly beaten  
whites of two eggs. Turn into a but-  
tered baking dish and bake fifteen  
minutes in a moderate oven. Spread  
with a meringue and brown in the  
oven. Serve with a hard sauce.

*Nellie Maxwell*  
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**Treasure Trove on Farm**  
On the land of a widow farmer of  
Aarhus (Denmark) 6,000 copper and  
silver coins of the days of Eric Glip-  
pling (1259-1286), king of Denmark,  
were found. It was in the reign of  
this king that the first rigsdag, or gen-  
eral assembly, became an established  
legislature in Denmark. The coins, as  
treasure trove, were by law the prop-  
erty of the state, but the widow re-  
ceived a sum of money in exchange.

**Only Daddy**  
Elizabeth Ann's mother was telling  
the little girl and her small brother  
the story of Cinderella. Suddenly  
there came a knock from the front  
door.  
"Go see who's there," said her moth-  
er. "Maybe it's the fairy prince."  
Elizabeth Ann hurried from the  
room. "No. It isn't a fairy prince,"  
she called back, disappointedly from  
the hall. "It's only daddy!"

### LEGAL

#### NOTICE

All articles for the town warrant  
for the Annual Meeting on February  
1, 1932 must be in the hands of the  
selectmen on or before Saturday, Jan-  
uary 16, 1932. G. W. Carr, Chair-  
man. 1-8-15

#### NOTICE

The Registrars of Voters for North-  
field will meet at the Town Hall to  
register voters Wednesday evening  
January 13th from 7 to 9 o'clock  
and Wednesday January 20th from  
12 o'clock noon to 10 o'clock p.m. No  
registrations will be made after that  
date before the annual town meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the stock-  
holders of The Northfield National  
Bank, Northfield, Mass., will be held  
at the banking room Tuesday, Jan-  
uary 12th, 1932 at eleven o'clock A.  
M. to elect Directors for the ensuing  
year and to transact such other busi-  
ness as may lawfully come before the  
meeting.  
Leon W. Chapman, Cashier  
Northfield, Mass.  
December 12th, 1931

### Seminary Lecture Course Reminder Of Dates

Saturday Evening 7.45 P. M.  
January 9, 1932  
Frances Homer, Impersonator  
January 30, 1932  
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